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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request the International Application No. which appears on the Notification of Missing Requirements attached hereto be corrected to PCT/F100/00624.

In response to PCT/DO/EO/905 mailed April 1, 2002, we enclose herewith the executed declaration which was omitted at the time of filing the application.

The required 37 CFR 1.492(e) surcharge was paid at the time of filing the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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